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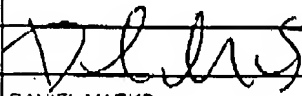
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AMENDMENT

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This Amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.111 is a response to the Office Action mailed May 17, 2007, ("Office Action") having a three-month shortened statutory period of response expiring upon August 17, 2007.

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Amendments to the Claims begin on Page 2 of this paper.

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